

LAST EDITION.

OUT OF MORMON'S CLUTCHES.

THOSE LITTLE GIRLS ARE SAFE FROM THE APOSTLES OF POLYGAMY.

Collector Magone Refuses to Let the Elders Take them to Utah, and Nineteen of the "Converts" Are to Return to Their Native Land—Elders Phillips and Walsh Beat an Undignified Retreat.

Those beautiful specimens of Mormonism, Elders Phillips and Walsh, who arrived from Europe on the steamship Wisconsin with 150 converts, including a dozen innocent children, who had no other guards with them, received a setback at the hands of Collector Magone through the energy and determination of the Castle Garden Landing Bureau, and were robbed of their prey.

Nineteen of the "converts" who were deemed to be incapable of understanding what they were doing were ordered back to their native lands, and last night Chief Inspector Walker, of the Custom-House corps at Castle Garden, took them up North river to the Wisconsin. They will start on their return voyage across the ocean on Tuesday next.

William and Jillian Armstrong, the Lancashire lad and lassie, who thought they were bound for San Francisco, having purchased tickets to the Golden Gate, were wrested from "Brother Phillips, who was really taken to Utah, and sent on their way to California by way of the Pennsylvania road last evening.

The gross apostles of polygamy were compelled to return to their money and tickets, and when they were ordered to the Wisconsin and Ohio railway from Norfolk.

When told that they must return to England, Sarah Ashley, the frail, little serving-maid, who had exchanged hard service in England for perdition in Utah, cried bitterly, and she excited the pity even of the officials. She threw her arms about the fat, red neck of Elder Walsh and wept and kissed him hysterically.

But Nellie Tomlinson was more brave. She submitted to being kissed by the "Elder," and then set about comforting her companions, and when they had arrived on the Wisconsin both were talking animatedly and with pleasant anticipations of again seeing their brothers and sisters in England.

At that time the police told the blue-eyed, pretty Sarah of a family of "no goods." Two of her brothers are now in the workhouse, and the others are bad. She is twelve years old—the youngest of a family of eight children.

George Corneford, eleven years old, could not remember the names of his two sisters whom he said were in Brigham, Utah. He objected to going to Utah, and a minute later said, sobbingly, that she was a "child of God," and would say nothing else.

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WAS THE SIGNAL WRONG?

One Story of the "L" Road Collision Says It Was.

Investigations this morning throw additional light upon the "L" accident which occurred last evening.

A Ninth avenue train, drawn by Engine No. 45, in charge of Engineer Mathias, had drawn out from the Fifty-ninth street station light, had run ahead past the Boulevard and was being backed onto the middle track at the switch.

One of the four cars had passed the switch and the second was on it, when a Fifty-fifth street train, north bound, drawn by engine 56, Ben Smidley engineer, crashed into the car, derailing it so that it rested, one end on the centre track and the other on a cross girder between the up and down tracks, both its heavy trucks crashing down into the street below the tracks of the Ninth avenue surface road.

The car which had passed the switch was also knocked off the track and against a flagman's hut, which was hurled to the west track, where it was struck by a south-bound train and carried crashing and splintered for a full block.

The engine of the north-bound train remained on the track, but the first car, which was filled with passengers, toppled to the right and would have fallen to the street but for the fact that it was held up by the guard rail and the post of the automatic signal, which is supposed to work with the opening and closing of the switch.

Women screamed with terror and men scrambled to be the first to escape from this perilous position. The guard-rail was strong, however, and the overhanging car did not fall.

One story is to the effect that Engineer Smidley, of the through train, was running a "calculation," that the Fifty-fifth street train would be shunted and the track clear by the time he reached the switch, but that his calculations were upset by the blowing out of the cylinder head of engine 46, which was backing the empty train.

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GIANTS FINISH AT HOME.

THEY ARRIVED THIS MORNING AND WILL ROAM NO MORE.

The True Reason Why the League Pennant Will Fly at New York's Grounds—Good Management, the Best Players and Playing for Business Brought This Result—A Glorious Welcome to the Winners.

The Giants' last League journey of the season came to an end this morning. At 6.30 o'clock a few early rising Jerseyites saw the season's champions sleepily step out from the sleeping-car which had borne them from Washington to the Pennsylvania Railroad station in Jersey City.

The trip, viewed as a whole, was a successful one, and barring the Chicago disturbances kicked up by Anson and Powers, a brilliant one. The boys came home bearing a record of nine victories, seven defeats and one tie.

At Indianapolis they won two and lost one, at Pittsburgh they won two and lost two, at Detroit each club won a game and the third resulted in a tie.

Chicago won three games to the Giants' one, but two of the three victories were won by creditable to Manager and Capt. Anson. The Washington series formed the wind-up, and there the Giants earned three straight games.

The fielding of the pennant-winners has been most excellent, and their batting, though light, has been timely and will average better than that of their opponents.

For five years every Gothamite has been hoping for a calculation, that the Fifty-fifth street train would be shunted and the track clear by the time he reached the switch, but that his calculations were upset by the blowing out of the cylinder head of engine 46, which was backing the empty train.

There have been opinions without number advanced as to the cause of the Giants' success. The fact of the matter is that Manager Mutrie hustled about this country from the close of last season to the beginning of this and secured enough new blood to entice and strengthen the old club, and at the same time signed a reserve force whose marked the turning point in the Giants' fortunes, and was the beginning of the end.

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MISS RAVEN'S CASE ADJUDICED.

The Pretty Young Cashier Will Next Appear in Yorkville Court.

Miss Minnie Raven, the pretty young cashier accused of financial irregularities by her former employers, Stern & Schloss, bustle manufacturers at 32 Howard street, was brought up for examination on the Tombs today.

Miss Raven was in court early, accompanied by her mother and several lady members of the Charles Street Church, of which she is a member.

With them came Police Surgeon McLeod, who is an old friend of the girl's family, and his son, Lincoln W. McLeod, who is the fair defendant's attorney.

Lawyer McLeod asked for a private examination which was accorded him.

The complaint charged that Miss Raven used the firm's money for her own purposes, and covered the action by false entries in her books.

In her defense, Miss Raven said that she was not responsible for the entries in the books, as another clerk had access to them. She denied the specific allegations in the complaint.

After hearing several witnesses for the prosecution, the defense asked for an adjournment to procure witnesses. The case was adjourned until Oct. 8, when it will come up at the Yorkville Court.

Miss Raven was released on \$1,000 bail.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Standing of the League, Association and Central League This Morning.

League	Won	Lost	Played	Per cent.
New York	71	53	124	.573
Chicago	68	56	124	.550
Boston	63	61	124	.510
Pittsburgh	61	63	124	.492
Cleveland	58	66	124	.467
Philadelphia	57	67	124	.459
Washington	48	76	124	.387

Assoc.	Won	Lost	Played	Per cent.
St. Louis	57	53	110	.518
St. Paul	52	58	110	.473
Minneapolis	48	62	110	.436
Chicago	47	63	110	.427
Indianapolis	46	64	110	.418
Washington	45	65	110	.409

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Boston	48	62	110	.436
Pittsburgh	47	63	110	.427
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Games Scheduled for To-Day.

New York vs. Washington, at Polo Grounds—clear.

Philadelphia at Boston, two games—clear.

Indianapolis at Pittsburgh—clear.

Brooklyn at Kansas City—cloudy.

Athletics at St. Louis—clear.

Baltimore at Louisville—clear.

Cleveland at Cincinnati—clear.

Jersey City at Newark.

Albany at New York.

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MORE FORGERIES.

The Produce Exchange Gratuity Fund the Victim.

\$160,000 Worth of Spurious Mortgages Found So Far.

Another Gigantic Swindling Scheme Laid Bare To-Day.

The Discovery Caused by the Bedford Exposure.

William R. Foster, Jr., the Counsel, Absent Since Tuesday.

Another gigantic swindle, similar to that by which James E. Bedford robbed his trusting employers, Shipman, Barlow, Larocque & Choate, of over a quarter of a million of dollars, has been brought to light.

This time the New York Produce Exchange Gratuity Fund has been victimized, certainly to the extent of \$160,000 on thirteen forged mortgages purporting to be a lien on property in this city, and the larceny of a much larger amount may yet be discovered.

The Gratuity Fund aggregates about \$1,000,000 and is for the most part invested in bonds and mortgages on real estate.

It holds forty mortgages on New York property and twenty on property in Brooklyn.

Frightened at the developments in the Bedford case a committee of the trustees of the fund proceeded to investigate their own securities, and began by taking the forty New York mortgages to the Register's office yesterday to verify them with the records.

All of them appeared to be duly executed, certified, sealed, filed and recorded, but when Deputy Register J. E. Martin went through them with the committee he discovered that thirteen of them, covering about \$160,000, were clever forgeries.

The names of the forgers, the Register's term up to the present time of Register Slevin, and a few of them purported to have been issued during his term.

One of the forged mortgages, purporting to have been executed by a woman in Orange County, was for \$10,000, and the forged certificate of registration was dated Jan. 4, 1884, and signed "James A. Hanley, Deputy Register."

Mr. Hanley became Deputy Register in June of the following year.

The trustees of the fund were thunderstruck by the revelations of the Deputy Register, and could scarcely believe that they had been the victims of such a wholesale swindle.

They said that interest on all their mortgages had been paid regularly. Sometimes, in the case of genuine instruments, the mortgages would pay the interest. Other payments would be made in cash, and others would be made by check of William R. Foster, Jr.

William R. Foster, Jr., is the attorney of the Produce Exchange Gratuity Fund, and has an office at 421 Produce Exchange Building. Through him many of the loans were negotiated.

The trustees of the fund were in secret session this morning and could not be seen by the reporter, who called on them for further information regarding this gigantic swindle.

These thirteen forged mortgages on New York property may represent only a portion of the money of which the fund has been defrauded.

When the authenticity of the Brooklyn and other mortgages held by the Trustees is looked into it may be found that another \$100,000, or even more, has been stolen through the medium of these forged conveyances.

Mr. Foster was last seen at his office in the Produce Exchange at 3 o'clock on Tuesday.

At that time he was notified of this morning's discovery of the forgeries, and he held this morning and engaged to be present.

He knew that the authenticity of some of the mortgages was questioned, it is said. He resides at Bay Ridge, L. I., and has not been seen about his home since Tuesday.

His father, William R. Foster, sr., who is a very wealthy man, residing at Bay Ridge, L. I., attended the meeting of the trustees this afternoon with Thomas R. Wentworth, young Mr. Foster's law partner.

ON THE POLITICAL WARPATH.

Both Tammany and the Counties Ready for the Coming Fray.

The Tammany Hall Committee on Organization will meet this evening. The warriors will be in full fighting feather, and, although they may not show their teeth or issue a challenge to the County Democracy, the war feeling will be there just the same.

The committee meets to make arrangements for the primaries to elect delegates to the various nominating conventions and to prepare for the mass ratification meeting of the General Committee on Tuesday evening, Oct. 9.

The County Democracy leaders are anxiously watching Tammany Hall. The C. D. statement are beginning to talk. They think they have kept quiet long enough. Police Justice Maurice J. Power has opened his battery on Tammany Hall. In talking to a reporter upon the situation and the local political outlook, he said:

"I am and shall continue to be in favor of the re-nomination of Mayor Hewitt.

"Tammany Hall's course so far has been one of bluff, brag, blarney and bluster. I have no fear of the result. We can and we will elect Hewitt."

It is alleged that Mayor Hewitt has refused to contribute to the campaign funds of the National Democratic Committee. He was asked for a contribution and he declined. The authority for this statement is a Democrat, who is in a position to know.

A fact which is confirmed by the Mayor has contributed his refusal, which was given point to a few weeks ago.

The Tammany Hall District leaders are divided regarding a choice for Mayor between Judge P. Henry Dugro and Sheriff Hugh J. Grant.

Mayor Hewitt has received a letter from an anonymous correspondent asking him if he would endorse Bill Nye for Mayor. Another letter, dated last evening, asked him to endorse Judge Duffy.

Still another writer asks, "Would you endorse Abraham S. Hewitt? I would like to know if you think Abraham S. Hewitt would be the best. Let us know what you think of Abraham S. Hewitt."

CURSED ONLY TO RISE AGAIN.

Furrows Stretch a New Banner Across Broadway Near the Old Spot.

The Furrow Democrats have already taken steps for legal redress against the Mayor and Department of Public Works for removing their banner from Broadway near Fourteenth street.

A new banner has been stretched across Broadway, opposite No. 816. It is understood that De Lancey Neill has been engaged by the Furrow Democrats to draw up a law governing the seizure of their banner by the Bureau of Incumbence.

There is a probability that the County Democracy will proceed against the Furrow organization. The claim is made that the poles which hold it up are rank obstructions to the streets.

Schwank's Had Thrown. Jacob Schwank, of 21 East Houston street, working on a new building on Wall street, was annoyed by three men. He picked up a stone and threw it. It missed the men, but struck five-year-old Benjamin Frank, of Wall street, on the head, killing him severely.

The surgeon extracted from his throat a piece of bone which was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

He is a man with powerful physique and it is believed will recover from his terrible loss of blood he sustained for twenty hours.

King's Character in Question. William McKelvey, an engineer at 3 Marion street, visited a dentist yesterday and had a tooth extracted. All night blood flowed freely from the cavity, and at 8 o'clock this morning he became exhausted in the color of the blood.

An ambulance was summoned when the surgeon found McKelvey lying on the floor gasping for breath. The surgeon extracted from his throat a piece of bone which was taken to St. Vincent's Hospital.

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John Fitzgerald Confesses to a Whitechapel Murder.

He Says He Killed Annie Chapman and Is Locked Up.

London Police, However, Do Not Attach Importance to His Statements.

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LONDON, Sept. 27.—A theory, unshared, half-truths man gave himself up to the police this morning and said he wanted to make a confession of the killing of Annie Chapman, the last victim in the atrocious series of the Whitechapel murders.

He gave his name as John Fitzgerald, a bricklayer, and said he wanted to make a full confession. He asserted that he was the murderer of Annie Chapman, and lived in Handbury street, Whitechapel.

What he said further is reserved by the police, who refuse positively to divulge other facts. Fitzgerald was immediately taken into custody and placed in one of the cells. He was not, however, charged in the usual way, being merely detained.

The Scotland Yard men are pumping him now. I hear on good authority that the detectives are inclined to doubt his story, although there seems to be no good reason for his remarkable confession.

NELLIE CURSED HER MOTHER.

She Was Young and Pretty, but Was in League with Burglars.

In Jefferson Market Police Court this morning officers had to hold a pretty seventeen-year-old brunette to keep her from striking her mother, whom she cursed roundly.

The girl was Nellie Callahan, whose mother lives at 340 West Seventeenth street, and who was until lately supposed to be the sister of one John Donohue, a burglar, confined in the Tombs. She had often visited Donohue, and had brought money to him and to his pal, one Thomas Whitaker. The men pleaded guilty yesterday to charges of burglarizing several uptown residences in July last, valuable jewelry forming a large portion of their booty.

It has been recently learned that instead of being brother and sister Donohue and Nellie were lovers and the girl had been acting as a stool pigeon, disposing of the stolen jewelry and bringing the money to the prisoners.

Nellie was sent to the House of the Good Shepherd.

MURDERED FOR HIS MONEY.

A Prosperous Miner Found with a Bullet in His Breast and His Head Crushed.

Belvidere, N. J., Sept. 27.—A foul murder was committed early this morning at Oxford Furnace, a small mining hamlet six miles from here.

Michael Rollins, a well-to-do miner, was found dead in his home, with a bullet in his breast and his head crushed in with some heavy instrument, either a club or a stone.